Verb to be

Глагол «быть»

Verb to be (positive)



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long form
                   short form
                    (l'm)
         am
            (he's)
he
               (she's)
she
            ( it's)
it
            (we're)
we
                 (you're)
you
         are
                (they're)
they
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Verb to be (negative)

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long form
                     short form
                       (l'm not)
        am not
                 (he isn't)
he
                    (she isn't)
she
            not
                 (it isn't)
it
                 (we aren't)
we
         are not (you aren't)
you
they
                    (they aren't)
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Examples:

It is cold.

It isn't hot.

The weather is cold.





I <u>am</u> Willy. I'<u>m</u> sad. I'<u>m not</u> happy.



They <u>are</u> nice.
They <u>re</u> little.
They <u>aren't</u> big.

Verb to be (questions)

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question
                answer
     I? Yes, I am./No, I'm not.
am
        Yes, he is./No, he isn't.
is she? Yes, she is./No, she isn't.
       Yes, it is./No, it isn't.
            Yes, we are./No, we aren't.
  we?
are you? Yes, you are./No, you aren't.
  they? Yes, they are./No, they aren't.
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Examples:

- 'Are you tired?' 'Yes, I am.'
- 'Are you hungry?' 'No, I'm not but I'm thirsty.'
- 'Is he English?' 'Yes, he is.'
- 'Is Ann at work today?' 'No, she isn't.'
- 'Is this seat free?' 'Yes, it is.'
- 'Are these your shoes?' 'Yes, they are.'
- ☐ 'Am I late?' 'No, you aren't.'

Write the short form

Write the long form

- \Box he is \longrightarrow he's
- they are
- she is not
- it is
- I am not
- we are
- you are not

- \square we aren't \longrightarrow we are not
- □ l'm
- you're
- they aren't
- □ it isn't
- she's
- he isn't

Write am, is, are

- The weather is very nice today.
- 2. | ... not tired.
- 3. This case ... very heavy.
- 4. These cases ... very heavy.
- The dog ... asleep.
- Look! There ... Carlos.
- 7. I... hot. Can you open the window?
- 8. This castle ... 1000 years old.
- My brother and I ... good tennis players.
- 10. Ann ... at home but her children ... at school.
- 11. I ... a student. My sister ... an architect.

Write am, is, are, am not, isn't, aren't

- 1. (Paris / the capital of France) Paris is the capital of France.
- (I / interested in football)
- 3. (I / hungry)
- 4. (it / warm today)
- 5. (Rome / in Spain)
- 6. (I / afraid of dogs)
- 7. (my hands / cold)
- 8. (Canada / a very big country)
- 9. (the Amazon / in Africa)
- 10. (diamonds / cheap)
- 11. (car-racing / a dangerous sport)
- 12. (cats / big animals)



Write questions. Use am, is, are

